

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD NIACT IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PDEV, PK

SUBJECT: INDEPENDENCE DAY MESSAGE

REF: (A) ISLAMABAD 7917; (B) ISLAMABAD 7920

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED TO DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE  
FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT CHAUDHRY AS SOON AS  
POSSIBLE:

2. QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON THE OCCASION OF THE  
ANNIVERSARY OF YOUR NATION'S INDEPENDENCE, I EXTEND MY  
WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU AND THE PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN.

I REMAIN CONFIDENT THAT OUR TWO COUNTRIES WILL CONTINUE  
WORKING TOGETHER IN A SPIRIT OF FRIENDSHIP AS WE STRIVE  
FOR OUR SHARED GOALS OF PEACE, SECURITY AND PROSPERITY

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FOR OUR PEOPLES AND THE WORLD. SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER.  
UNQUOTE.

3. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT OF MESSAGE  
BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF GOP WISHES TO DO SO. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 jan 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** COMMEMORATIVE CELEBRATIONS  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 14 aug 1978  
**Decaption Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 20 Mar 2014  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
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**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
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